

**BDCP releases Draft
Statewide Economic
Impact Study**

The Bay Delta Conservation Plan (BDCP) has released the [Draft Statewide Economic Impact Study](#) that analyzes the project as an investment for the state. The study indicates that the BDCP would result in a significant net economic benefit to California, including a net improvement in the economic welfare of residents.

**BDCP Finance Working
Group meeting
will be webcast**

The Bay Delta Conservation Plan (BDCP) Finance Working Group meeting is scheduled for Thursday, August 8, in West Sacramento. The meeting agenda includes a review of the Draft Statewide Economic Impact Study mentioned in the above item. The meeting will be [webcast](#) and is available by conference call at 1-888-369-1427, Access Code: 5793532.

**DWR will conduct
a flood emergency
grants workshop**

DWR will conduct a workshop on the [Flood Emergency Response Projects – Delta Grants](#) on August 15 in Fairfield. DWR will provide information and answer questions about the grants and the application process. The workshop agenda is [here](#).

**USBR releases
environmental
documents**

The U.S. Bureau of Reclamation (USBR) has released [final environmental documents to supplement the South-of-Delta Accelerated Water Transfer Program](#) for wildlife refuges pursuant to the Central Valley Project Improvement Act, and has also released environmental documents for operations and maintenance funding for the [San Joaquin River Restoration Program's Interim San Joaquin Salmon Conservation and Research Facility](#).

**Seminar topic is fish
living in restored tidal
marsh habitat**

The Delta Science Program, the Ecosystem Restoration Program, and Surface Water Ambient Monitoring Program Joint Brown Bag series will present a seminar by Thomas Keegan and Emily Tozzi of ECORP Consulting, Inc., on August 19 in Sacramento. The presentation title is Native Fish Utilization and Residency within Restored Tidal Marsh Habitat in North and South San Francisco Bay. The discussion focuses particularly on salmonids, sturgeons, and striped bass. More details are [here](#).

**Save the date -
Delta Waterways
Cleanup September 21**

The Delta Conservancy is coordinating a Delta Waterways Cleanup on September 21. The fall cleanup will have several Delta sites. Event information is [here](#). Also, the Conservancy is partnering with Bridgestone's One Team One Planet tire recycling program to help landowners remove illegally dumped tires and recycle them at the tire recycling point at Brannan Island. Details are [here](#).

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